GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:497
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BAN ON SALE OF GROUNDNUT ETC. IN TRAINS
CHINMAYANAND

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are contemplating to strictly impose ban on the sale of groundnut, peanut and other food items in the trains;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the steps taken by the Government in this regard; and

(d) the estimated number of hawkers selling food items in trains at present in the country ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

(a) and (b): No, Sir.

(c): Does not arise.

(d): Such statistics are not maintained by the Indian Railways.